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TO AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM IMMEDIATE

AMCONSUL LOURENCO MARQUES IMMEDIATE

INFO AMCONSUL JOHANNESBURG

AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

AMCONSUL LUANDA

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SUBJ: CODEL CLARK: PRETORIA/JOHANNESBURG SCHEDULE

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1. FOLLOWING CONFIRMS CODEL SCHEDULES FOR AUGUST 22-23  
AND 26-27.

2. CODEL WILL BE MET ON ARRIVAL 22ND BY DCM AND COUNSELORS FOR  
BRIEFING AT HOTEL IF CODEL DESIRES. AMB BOWDLER WILL TRY TO  
JOIN CODEL AT HOTEL. HE HAS TO ATTEND OPENING BY PRIME MINISTER  
OF MAJOR CANAL PROJECT SOME 500 MILES DISTANCE IN CAPE PROVINCE,  
TO WHICH CABINET AND CHIEFS OF MISSION ARE INVITED, AND DOES NOT  
KNOW WHETHER CHARTER FLIGHT WILL RETURN IN TIME.

3. RESERVATIONS AT AIRPORT HOLIDAY INN ARE CONFIRMED: ONE  
DOUBLE, TWO SINGLES. CODEL WILL HOST DINNER AT INN AT 8:00 PM  
FOR FOUR MEMBERS CHRISTIAN INSTITUTE SELECTED BY REV. NAUDE WHO,  
AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED, CANNOT ATTEND. GUESTS WILL BE MR. HORST  
KLEINSCHMIDT, REV. ROELF MEYER, REV. ELIAF TEMA AND MRS. JANE  
PHAKATHI. BIOS ON EACH WILL BE PROVIDED.

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RM BREAKFAST 0730 AUGUST 23 WITH ATTORNEY DAVID SOGGOT. SONNY

LEON, NOW IN PRETORIA FOR NEGOTIATIONS WITH GOVERNMENT, IS UNCERTAIN OF HIS ABILITY TO ATTEND BUT HAS PREPARED BRIEFING MATERIALS FOR CODEL.

5. DEPARTURE RESERVATIONS 0930 AUG 23 VIA BP160 RECONFIRMED.

6. AMB BOWDLER AND JOHANNESBURG CONGEN GUTHRIE WILL MEET CODEL ON ARRIVAL AUG 26. RESERVATIONS AT PRETORIA BURGERS PARK HOTEL CONFIRMED. KEY EMBASSY OFFICERS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE PRIOR TO 8:00 PM DINNER FOR ANY DESIRED DISCUSSION. DINNER GUESTS WILL BE: MR. AND MRS. HARRY OPPENHEIMER; MR. AND MRS. (HELEN) SUZMAN; DR. AND MRS. G.R. BOZZOLI; RECTOR, WITWATERSRAND UNIV.; MR. AND MRS. TERTIUS MYBURGH, EDITOR, SUNDAY TIMES; MR. AND MRS. ANDREW DRYSDALE, RECENT NIEMAN FELLOW AND NEWLY APPOINTED EDITOR, PRETORIA NEWS. AMBASSADOR SPOKE PERSONALLY WITH CHIEF GATSHA BUTHELEZI IN HOPE HE COULD ALSO ATTEND, BUT CONFLICT OF OBLIGATIONS MADE IT IMPOSSIBLE.

7. MORNING 27TH 0800-1030 BEING HELD OPEN FOR APPOINTMENTS AT DEPT FOREIGN AFFAIRS. WILL WORK IN INFORMAL CONVERSATIONS ON RHODESIAN AFFAIRS SUBJECT TO CONFIRMATION OFFICIAL APPOINTMENTS. ANGOLAN VISA FOR SENATOR CLARK WILL BE OBTAINED SEPARATELY AT THIS TIME. MRS. MOOSE INVITED TO TOUR PRETORIA AREA WITH EMBASSY LADIES DURING THIS PERIOD IF SHE DESIRES.

8. APPROX 1030 CHECK OUT OF HOTEL AND DEPART FOR JOHANNESBURG AND TOUR OF SOWETO. SALLY MOTLANA HAS BEEN ADVISED OF CODEL INTERESTS IN MEETING SASO AND BPC REPS. SHE WILL INVITE 4-5 PERSONS TO LUNCH IN SOWETO AT 1300 AS GUESTS CODEL. SHE HAS NOT YET IDENTIFIED EXPECTED PARTICIPANTS.

9. 1530: CALL ON REV BEYERS NAUDE AT CHRISTIAN INSTITUTE, FOLLOWED BY INFORMAL MEETING AT 1700 AT RESIDENCE CONGEN GUTHRIE WITH 6-7 PROMINENT POLITICAL FIGURES. AMB BOWDLER WILL JOIN GROUP AT THIS TIME.

10. 1815: DEPART FOR JAN SMUTS AIRPORT, AND DEPARTURE 1940 ON FLIGHT SR283 FOR KINSHASA.

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QQM AS RESULT EARLIER NEWS COVERAGE, WE HAVE HAD SEVERAL INQUIRIES ABOUT CODEL SCHEDULE IN SOUTH AFRICA. WE HAVE AVOIDED PROVIDING DETAILS OR ENCOURAGING EXPECTATION OF FORMAL PRESS CONFERENCE THUS FAR. IN ORDER TO AVOID UNDUE SPECULATION ABOUT PURPOSES OF VISIT, IT MAY BE USEFUL TO OFFER NEWSMEN OPPORTUNITY MEET BRIEFLY WITH CODEL AT TIME OF DEPARTURE 27TH AT AIRPORT. WILL APPRECIATE CODEL GUIDANCE.

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